



**RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
EXAMINING GROUP 2879
Docket No.: 1083.1102**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Akira TOKAI et al.

Serial No. 10/786,056

Group Art Unit: 2879

Confirmation No. 3288

Examiner: Anthony T. Perry

For: GAS-DISCHARGE TUBE AND DISPLAY APPARATUS

RESPONSE AFTER FINAL REJECTION

Commissioner for Patents
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Attention: **BOX AF**

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed June 6, 2006, and having a period for response set to expire on September 6, 2006.

Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested. The following remarks are respectfully submitted.